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Important information you need to know BEFORE talking to the at-fault driver's insurance company.



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May 3, 2016

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Dear Mr. Aaron Cruthis:

It has come to my attention through public records that you were recently involved in a motor vehicle accident. I am enclosing a copy of the police report for your convenience. I have 20 years of experience in dealing with claims against drivers and I know how to deal with their insurance company. If you suffered injuries as a result of the accident, you may have legal rights to compensation for your **time missed from work**, your **medical bills**, **your pain and suffering**, and your **permanent physical injury**, among other things.

Know your rights. You do not have to give the adjuster a recorded statement or sign anything. An insurance adjuster may come knocking on your door trying to get you to sign a release in exchange for an immediate check. You are signing away your legal rights when you sign any kind of release. The adjuster may use tactics to avoid paying you the money you may deserve. We can help. Put our experienced team to work for you. We can help you with:

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- **medical treatment** finding the right doctor
- health insurance issues getting your medical bills paid even if you do not have health insurance.

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Case 1

Things You Need To Know About Your Claim

- > You may need to call the at-fault driver's insurance company to set up the claim. Do not assume that the other driver will do so.
- > An adjuster will investigate the claim; he or she may need a copy of the police report, and to talk with the person they insure who caused the accident, as well as any witnesses.

Warnings!

- > You do not have to give a recorded interview. Beware of any request that you give one. Even when the other driver is clearly at fault, the interview may provide a reason to deny your claim. The adjuster may try to show that you could have avoided the accident.
- > Beware of the insurance adjuster who insists on coming to meet you face to face, then presents a check and offers to settle your injury claim. You may be asked to sign away your rights to future recovery for a nominal sum that may be far less than your case is worth.
- > The adjuster will tell you he or she is there to help you and be fair to you. Remember who he or she works for. You may be discouraged from contacting an attorney. And once you sign a release, your claim is over, no matter what happens later. It is too late if you contact an attorney after signing a release.

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Your Resources for Compensation

1 The At-Fault Driver's Liability Insurance

- > Pays for Your Property Damage. The responsible insurance company will pay for the repairs to your vehicle and provide you with a rental car for the time that you are without a car UNLESS your car is a total loss. A total loss occurs when your car is not repairable OR when the costs of the repairs exceed 60-75% of the fair market value of your car. Even if you owe the bank more than the car is worth, the law only requires that the insurance company pay you the amount that the vehicle is worth. We can help with the damage to your vehicle.
- > Pays for Your Bodily Injuries. After you have completed all medical treatment, the insurance company will usually settle your case in one lump sum. You may be entitled to recover for: MEDICAL BILLS, LOST INCOME, PAIN & SUFFERING, MENTAL ANGUISH, DISFIGURING SCARS and PERMANENT PHYSICAL INJURY.

Insurance adjusters, judges and juries are not permitted to take your word for it that you were injured – they must look at your medical treatment. We are NOT suggesting that you seek medical treatment just to build an insurance claim, but if you don't get timely treatment for legitimate injuries, you likely will not be compensated for those injuries by the insurance company.

In addition, if the driver who caused the accident was intoxicated or charged with careless and reckless driving, you are likely entitled to recover punitive damages in addition to the usual compensatory damages.

Your Health Insurance

> You should use your health insurance even though the other driver's insurance may ultimately pay for your medical bills. The auto insurance does not usually pay for medical care as you go, but as part of a lump sum when you are at maximum medical improvement. Unpaid medical bills can adversely impact your credit rating. If you fail to use your health insurance, the unpaid bills will have to be paid out of your settlement.

3 Your Automobile Insurance

You should use your automobile insurance to the extent that you have this optional coverage:

- > Medical Payments Coverage. Pays you the amount of your medical bills up to the preselected coverage amount. This coverage may be used even if you use your health insurance.
- > Uninsured/Underinsured Motorist Coverage.
 With this option, if the other driver does not have sufficient insurance to cover all the injuries caused by the accident, your insurance steps in to compensate you for your injury.
- > Collision Coverage. If the responsible insurance company is slow to accept liability and repair your car or pay you for the total loss of your car, then you may elect to file on your collision coverage. You will have to pay your deductible, but you can recover the deductible when the responsible insurance company accepts or is forced to accept liability.

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